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The average daily circulation of the  
Barre Daily Times for the week ending  
Saturday was

**3,885**

copies, the largest paid circulation of  
any daily paper in this section.

The New Year finds Barre prosperous,  
free from any special agitations, and  
with a promise of a good year to come.

Mayor Barclay writes a cheering letter  
to the annual meeting. His reference  
to his annual message suggests the fact  
that our annual crop of spring candidates  
will soon be with us.

It is a healthy sign that Barre's  
churches prosper and grow in numbers  
at a pace in keeping with the growth  
of the city. The large meetings in nearly  
all of them yesterday testified to the  
general interest taken.

The New York insurance investigation  
closed with the old year, but we are  
promised criminal proceedings by  
District Attorney Jerome this year and  
the quiet the companies desire does not  
seem to be forthcoming.

The failure of H. R. Leighton & Co.  
has attracted more than ordinary local  
interest because of the firm's connection  
with the quo warranto suit against  
State's Attorney Jackson, in which the  
latter was called on to show that he  
was a citizen of the United States. C.  
A. Phelps, the orator, has been manager  
of the Montpelier office of Leighton &  
Co., and when he was asked on Saturday  
by the Montpelier Argus if he would  
be affected by the failure he stated that  
he would not tell, as he knew little  
of it. He said the case was brought  
by attorneys of H. R. Leighton &  
Co., and he was more to get even with  
the attorney than otherwise.

The failure of the case was limited  
to the Montpelier office. He did not like  
to say more and did not know  
what the outcome would be. He was asked if  
he would not tell, as he knew little  
of it. He said the case was brought  
by attorneys of H. R. Leighton &  
Co., and he was more to get even with  
the attorney than otherwise.

## THE DREW WELL

Show Crowded Hale's Pa-  
theon and Evening.

A big matinee crowd and  
evening showing at Hale's Theatre  
yesterday. The evening showing was  
the exhibition of the British  
pictures, giving the en-  
tire of the famous  
pictures. No one who  
witnessed the exhibition would have  
been able to resist the temptation  
to see the pictures. The press and public  
have pronounced these pic-  
tures as the best ever taken for a moving  
picture. Every detail of the  
pictures shown and many who at-  
tended the performances yesterday, de-  
clared that they will not miss the same  
showing tonight.

The next attraction at Hale's Theatre  
will be Martin's big Uncle Tom's Cabin  
pictures, running forty people. No  
other people play with this company.  
Hale's is the only Uncle Tom's allow-  
ed to play in the South or in the large  
cities. The date is Jan. 13. Matinee and  
evening.

Don't forget the Britt-Nelson pic-  
tures at Hale's tonight.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our heartfelt  
thanks to our friends, especially to the  
W. D. O. R., for their many acts of kind-  
ness during the sickness and death of  
our little daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Carey.

Graniteville, Vt.

VINCITIA LODGE.

No. 10, E. of P.

Castle Hall in Blam-

chard Block. Regular

meetings on Tuesday

evening at 7:30.

1906 January 1906

Sun. Mon. Tue. Wed. Thu. Fri. Sat.

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## REDEDICATE CHURCH

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upon a total of at least \$4,000 being  
subscribed.

All the said meeting a committee of  
three persons was appointed with instruc-  
tions to secure further subscriptions, and  
when the amount subscribed should be  
sufficient to defray the total cost of the  
additions proposed, to undertake to com-  
plete the work.

It is a pleasure to report today that  
these instructions have been fulfilled,  
both in spirit and in letter—as you will  
see from supplemental report of the  
treasurer.

Indeed, the instructions have been  
more than fulfilled. For in addition to  
the extension of the church edifice, various  
repairs have been made in the older  
part of the structure. In several places  
the slating on the roof has received at-  
tention; floor timbers and planking in  
the rooms below, which had rotted, have  
been replaced; the cushions in the pews  
have been recovered, many of them re-  
paired, some of them made over; the  
organ has almost been rebuilt, new pipes  
having been made, old pipes sent to the  
factory to be put in order and a deal  
of repairing done by the expert sent  
to us from the builders of the organ.  
It is now in first class condition, and  
should render us better service than ever  
it has hitherto.

At the first meeting of the committee  
F. A. Poole was elected chairman and  
H. G. Woodruff secretary and treasurer.  
At the second meeting the committee  
was enlarged by the addition of three  
members. Subscriptions were secured as  
rapidly as possible, and by July 1st  
it was felt that the committee was war-  
ranted in beginning the work. The con-  
tract was awarded to Messrs. W. F.  
Bradford & Co., whose bid was the lowest  
submitted. At a later time the  
contract for decorating was given to  
Mr. E. C. Graves of Wells River. With  
the various delays that are always in-  
cident to building operations, but with  
steady progress notwithstanding, the  
work has gone forward and is now com-  
plete, we hope to the satisfaction of all.

We think that our house of worship  
is now one of the best in Vermont.  
And this achievement has been made pos-  
sible by a very cordial and very wide-  
spread spirit of co-operation. Before  
the work had been taken, certain  
of the classes of the Sunday school  
had started funds for the purpose, the  
Sunshine class, Mrs. N. D. Phelps, teach-  
er, being, I think, the first, the Baraca  
class, the primary department and other  
classes and auxiliary bodies following  
the good example.

The help and encouragement given by  
the Ladies Aid Society is beyond praise.  
Right nobly have they stepped into the  
breach again and again. They have con-  
tributed \$700. Fortunate the church  
that can boast such women!

The Willing Workers is another body  
whose help has been exceptional. The  
Endeavor societies have done their part,  
as well as several other classes of the  
Sunday school.

The people of the parish generally  
have responded to the solicitation of the  
committee in a most commendable way.  
It is the testimony of individual mem-  
bers of the committee that subscrip-  
tions were never so readily given, and  
of the treasurer of the committee that  
the payment of the subscriptions has  
been made in a most spirit of glad-  
ness. Not grudgingly, but willingly and  
cheerfully has our house of worship  
been enabled and enlarged.

From the estate of a former valued  
member, who we relinquished a short  
time since to the Church Triumphant,  
Mrs. Wallace G. Parker, \$500 was given,  
to provide for the decorating of the  
church and to help provide the Baraca  
room. This, too, was of great assist-  
ance, and it is difficult to see how the  
work could have been done without it.  
But I must not take time to specify  
further, and will simply say as a general  
word that many others have given in-  
valuable aid.

But the spirit of co-operation has not  
been confined to the money which supplied the  
material. The architect expressed his in-  
terest in a most substantial way. We  
had his services for a pittance. The  
contractors have done their work in a  
manner which showed most plainly that  
they were inspired by something higher  
than the hope of gain. It seemed, too,  
as if their spirit were communicated to  
the men. For the work has gone  
on in pleasantness, with an evident de-  
sire not to forget that it was work for  
a Christian church. The decorator and  
organ experts have taken special pains  
to please, have responded to every sug-  
gestion of the committee, and have done  
their utmost to give satisfaction. They  
have the reward, I trust, of knowing  
that they have succeeded. The repairs  
on the cushions and the painting and  
plumbing have been done with the same  
interest and desire to give an extra  
service. And let me not forget to men-  
tion everybody else. There seem to be  
no exceptions.

Of my associates on the committee  
it is difficult to speak adequately. Nev-  
er, I am sure, have I worked with a  
finer body of men and women. The  
interest taken, the eagerness shown, the  
hard work done can be described only in  
the superlative degree. No private con-  
cern, however important and absorbing,  
ever received a more loyal, or a more  
intelligent devotion. If you could know  
of their service as I know it, you would  
thank them from your very heart.

But the main feature of our report  
is presented not on paper, but in brick  
and mortar, in plank and timber, in paint  
and varnish, in leather and electric  
light—in the larger, nobler, more beau-  
tiful, more convenient, more dignified  
and serviceable structure which we have



At twelve o'clock last  
Sunday night the new bicy-  
cle cop, No. 1906, ar-  
rested a motor carriage,  
having the license num-  
ber 1905, on the charge  
of working over time.

You will find us here at  
the same place during the  
year 1906 with all the new  
ideas in Men's Clothing  
and Furnishings, as well  
as the staple lines.

## Fur Coats to Rent.

WE CLEAN, PRESS AND  
REPAIR CLOTHING.



174 Main Street, Barre, Vt.

already dedicated to the cause of God for  
man. We have worked hard; the  
results reward us. We hope the church  
will be pleased.

Baraca Class Reception Tonight.  
The Baraca class will hold a recep-  
tion in the Baraca class room, and  
church parlors this evening at 8, to  
which all are invited.

## METHODIST SOCIETY HAS GOOD MEETING

About Two Hundred Sit to Annual Din-  
ner on New Year's Day—Inter-  
esting After Dinner Exercises.

The annual New Year's dinner of the  
Methodist church was held yesterday at  
one o'clock, about 200 sitting down to  
the feast which had been prepared by the  
Ladies' and Pastors' union.  
After dinner the reports of the super-  
intendent of the Sunday school, the Ep-  
worth league, the Women's Home and  
Foreign Missionary societies were heard.  
In the two latter cases the amount of  
money taken in showed a considerable  
increase over that of last year. The  
report from the mission Sunday school  
at North Barre was read by deaconess,  
Miss Edith Smith who is in charge of  
the work. The pastor also gave a report  
showing the amount of pastoral labor  
and the amount of money expended in  
improving church property since he has  
been here.

Two interesting accounts were then  
given by Fred E. White of Lyndonville,  
formerly of Barre, and Mrs. Mary Burn-  
ham. Mr. White told of a revival which,  
started a few months ago in Lyndon,  
by Dr. Gilliam, is still going on. Mrs.  
Burnham, one of the oldest members of  
the church, gave an interesting talk on  
Methodism as she knew it when a child.  
She told of the old fashioned prayer  
meetings in her father's kitchen, the  
seats being planks laid across sap buck-  
ets. If the meeting happened to be in  
mud time a tub of water was put on  
the stove and permitted to boil while  
the service was in progress, and the  
minute the people were out of the house  
the floor got a thorough mopping to  
wash out the mud.

The election of officers of the church  
will take place some time in February.

## Barre Savings Bank and Trust Co.

Another evidence of  
confidence of the public  
in this Bank is the steady  
increase of business since organ-  
ized twelve years ago, as shown  
the following

### Comparative Statement of Deposits

MARCH 1st.

1905	\$1,648.30
1904	\$1,075,522.40
1903	\$1,49,687.30
1902	\$206,024.54
1901	\$232,939.79
1900	\$320,534.36
1899	\$404,971.00
1898	\$487,291.77
1897	\$623,528.22
1896	\$746,867.50
1895	\$922,459.31
1894	\$1,171,843.57
1893	\$1,290,378.24

3 1-2 per cent interest on sav-  
ings. New accounts invited

J. HENRY JACKSON, President.  
F. G. HOWLAND, Treasurer.

## FACTS and FIGURES

### These Amounts

\$49.72

86.73

262.84



\$65.90

115.96

305.98

And many more were saved in ONE YEAR by using our

## HOME SAVINGS BANKS

Begin the NEW YEAR by opening a BUSINESS or  
SAVINGS ACCOUNT with

## THE PEOPLES NATIONAL BANK.

## ANNUAL PARISH SUPPER OF UNIVERSALIST SOCIETY

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connected with the early history of the  
church.

In closing his remarks Mr. Gordon of-  
fered the following sentiment for the  
New Year, saying that he was preaching  
what he had not always practiced.

### NEW YEAR'S.

We stand upon the threshold of a new  
year's grace,  
And each and all are keeping time  
with God's eternal sun.  
Within the gracious precincts of this  
sacred place,  
Our presence here should show each  
Sabbath's duty done.

The melodies that cheered the Christian  
ages gone  
Will fill the heart with hope and  
fresher courage give;  
The words repeated here of Heaven's  
begotten Son  
Are orisons to guide the wayward lives  
we live.

This dedicated place is inspiration's  
home;  
Beside our troubled waters stands this  
Christian altar;  
Here in our path the rays that lit the  
manor come,  
That we may onward press, despite  
the feet that falter.

Uplifted by strength that holds the  
planet in its course,  
Surrounded by a love like ocean,  
bounding all,

Persuaded to the right by strong yet  
gentle force,

We find the way where none should  
falter, none should fall.

The report of the pastor was last  
Rev. Mr. Conner has been in Barre but  
eight months, which have been busy  
months. He is getting the work of the  
parish well in hand. He reported 1,033  
pastoral calls in the two-thirds of a  
year. He said to the people that he was  
trying to earn his salary on six days  
in the week, and wanted to rest with  
them on the Sabbath. He accounted  
that the people who believe in and with  
the church are as much obligated to  
attend the Sunday services as the min-  
ister. He should arrange to be present  
at every public service or send a sub-  
stitute. He wanted that each of them  
should arrange to do likewise.

## JINGLES AND JESTS.

### Altruism.

She—Papa doesn't want us to be mar-  
ried for ten years yet. But don't look  
so worried, George, you will still be  
young ten years from now.  
He—Yes, darling; but I wasn't think-  
ing of myself.—Translated from Tales  
from "Le Mire."

### Liked It.

A sweet little maiden named May  
Once strolled in a park o'er the way.  
She met a young man  
Who kissed her and ran,  
And now she goes there every day.  
—Denver Post.

See Abbott's clearance sale.

## SECURITY

THE OLDEST BANK for  
SAVINGS with the LARG-  
EST CAPITAL and SUR-  
PLUS, combined with SAFE  
METHODS, is the security  
we offer

## OUR DEPOSITORS

## Granite

SAVINGS BANK  
AND TRUST COMPANY,  
BARRE, VERMONT.

## INCREASING DEMAND

FOR OUR ENGLISH BREAKFAST TEA

Assures us that we give the best bargain in the city.  
The ever-swelling list of satisfied customers who have  
once used it is our Tea's best advertisement. Why  
don't you join the crowd and see for yourself the rea-  
son we make a leader of this Tea? For delicious  
taste and fragrance we claim it equals many 50-cent  
Teas. Our price is only 35c per pound.

## PARK & STEVEN,

Telephone 408-12. 255 North Main St.

## ANNOUNCEMENT

### CLEARANCE SALE.

Our Ten Days' Clearance Sale  
begins on Thursday, January 4th.  
Our Circular will be left at your  
home. Watch for further adver-  
tising in The Barre Daily Times.

## The Vaughan Store

## Ladies' Coats and Furs

### Our January Sale.

Carry the Thought Around With You, as long as you  
have any idea of buying a Coat or Fur, that our January  
Sale offers better opportunities than any other sale of its kind  
in this vicinity and you'll hit it about right. Many know  
that Coats are our specialty—that we give more time to the  
perfection of the Outer Garment Department than most  
stores do and that the results have been phenomenal. The  
low prices we asked to begin with, combined with the as-  
sortment we offer, with one-fourth to one-half off the origi-  
nal prices now, and you have got about as much money-  
saving evidence on Coat or Fur-buying as you can get.

Place, the little old store on the corner of State and  
Main streets, Montpelier, Vt., run for the benefit of our-  
selves and the public. Sign over the door reads,

## The Perley E. Pope Co

### Rexall Nursery Rhymes, 10c

### Rexall Cherry Juice, - - 25c

BOTH DURING THE FIRST WEEK OF  
JANUARY FOR 25 CENTS.

THE LITTLE BOOK tells about Captain Rexall and her aides  
teaching the animals to play games, and will please the little folks.

REXALL CHERRY JUICE cures Coughs and Irritation of the  
Throat, and is a harmless yet beneficial remedy. Tastes good, is good.

To further introduce it we will give the little book with each 25c  
bottle, as advertised above. Not more than two to a customer.

## Red Cross Pharmacy,

Miles' Granite Block, - - - Barre, Vermont.

## To All a Happy New Year!

### Combines of Today.

Many are the combines of today. Some are for  
the good of the many and others for the benefit of the  
few. In yore olden times a combination was formed for  
the benefit of ALL. The cost of the shares in this com-  
bine are small, while the dividends are large and pay-  
able daily.

### WE ARE AGENTS FOR THIS TRUST.

Bring the price of a "share" (45 cents) to our  
store and receive your "certificate of stock"—a peck  
of nice Tolman Sweet Apples and a quart of this sea-  
son's finest Boiled Cider. Try an investment here in  
this combine. Also any other thing in best Groceries.

## SOWDEN & LYON,

126 North Main Street, - - - Barre, Vermont

## HOME MADE Special for This Week

**15c**

PER POUND. Barre Candy Kitchen.

HOME MADE  
Horehound Drops, 15c a pound  
FRESH MADE  
Salted Peanuts, - - 15c a pound